JAN-13-04 16:26 FROM-Merchant & Gould

6123329081

RECEIVED **CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

JAN **1 3** 2004

T-819 P.001/007 F-120

3200 IDS Center 80 South Eighth Street Minneapolis, Minnesou 55402-2215 USA TEL 612.332.5300 fax 612.332.9081 www.merchant-gould.com

A Professional Corporation

Merchant & Gould

An Intellectual Property Law Firm

Fax Transmission

January 13_, 2004

TO:

Commissioner for Patents

Attn: Examiner Mary C. Baran

Patent Examining Corps

Facsimile Center

Alexandria, VA 22313.1450

Robert A. Kalinsky FROM:

OUR REF:

154646.1/40062.69US03

TELEPHONE:

612.336.4771

USPTO Centralized Facsimile No.: 1-703-872-9306

If you do NOT receive all of the pages, please telephone us at 612.336.4771, or fax us at 612.332.9081.

Title of Documents Transmitted: 1. Associate Power of Attorney.

2. Response to Office Action mailed November 13, 2003.

3. Terminal Disclaimer.

Applicant:

VanFlandern et al.

Our Ref. No.:

154646.1/40062.69US03

Serial No.:

09/606,896

Confirmation No.:

7655

Filed:

June 29, 2000

Customer No.:

23552

Group Art Unit:

2857

Please our Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the required statutory disclaimer fee for a large entity. Please consider this a Petition for Extension of Time for the sufficient number of months to enter these papers.

Name: Robert A. Kalinsky

Reg. No.: 50,471

RAK:pll

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.